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For: METHODS AND DEVICES FOR  
ADMINISTRATION OF SUBSTANCES INTO  
THE INTRADERMAL LAYER OF SKIN FOR  
SYSTEMIC ABSORPTION

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The Attorney Docket Number on the Filing Receipt is stated as "500752-999021," rather than "500752-999021." Applicants request that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued in which the Attorney Docket Number is correctly stated as "500752-999021," as indicated on the attached, marked-up copy of the Filing Receipt.

Additionally, Applicants request a correction of the Filing Receipt to reflect the correct Domestic Priority information in connection with the above-identified application. This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 to U.S. Application Serial No. 09/893,746, filed June 29, 2001, which claims priority to U.S. Application Serial No. 09/606,909, filed June 29, 2000. Thus the "Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant" should be amended to reflect priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 to U.S. Application No.

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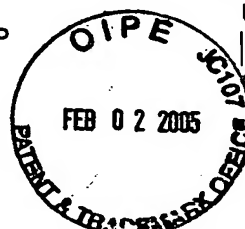
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